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# WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-009181 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 16-Sep-2009

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 1900 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 700 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name:** N/A **CWI Present:** Yes No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A Yes N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** No **Weld Procedures Followed:** Yes No N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** No Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component: Tower Components** 

## **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector George Goulet was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

#### Bay 11

This QA Inspector, George Goulet, proceeded to Bay 11 in response to ZPMC Inspection Notification # 4227 for MT inspection of the following:

This QA Inspector, George Goulet, performed random VT and then MT of approximately 15% of the area previously tested and accepted by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector, George Goulet, generated an MT report for this date. The member is identified as segment WSD1-FASA4. The weld designations reviewed were 2A/E-23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 43; and 2C/E-13, 16, 17, 18.

This QA inspector also observed the rectangular holes in the doubler plates appear to be offset from 0.0mm to 23mm with the corresponding holes in the skin plate to which they are attached. The Caltrans-approved drawing shows a 10mm offset.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

## **Summary of Conversations:**

This QA inspector verbally informed Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance day shift personnel of the observed offset of doubler plates noted above.

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# **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Serge Sinevod, 134-8257-0045, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Goulet, George	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Carreon, Albert	QA Reviewer